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Reply and Amendment

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Title: Method for Constructing Recombinant Herpes Simplex Virus

REMARKS

This supplemental amendment is being submitted after the response to office action filed 25 November 2008. This supplemental amendment amends claim 1 and dependent claims 5-8 and 10 to correct dependency to claim 1. The specification fully supports the addition to claim

1, thus the claim amendments do not introduce new matter. The enclosed claim set shows changes relative to the claim set filed on 25 November 2008. No other claim amendments are

being made.

Applicants reiterate and incorporate by reference all arguments presented in the response

filed 25 November 2008.

Should the Examiner believe that further discussion of any remaining issues would advance the prosecution, he or she is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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